Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 26 Oct 2021 until 23:59 on Wednesday 27 Oct 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 25 Oct 2021 at 15:57

Confidence: High confidence for an unsettled week with the potential for persistent rainfall mid week, very windy at times. Less confidence in timing of rainfall or amounts

Headline for Tuesday 26 Oct 2021: A dull day with strong southwesterly winds, a period of rain during the morning but drier later.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 26 Oct 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Drizzle	Cloudy	Cloudy	Dull
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	40%	60%	40%	20%	20%	30%

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Weather: Mainly dry overnight but with increasing cloud by dawn. Light rain initially in the morning will become heavy for a time late morning. Rain will clear east by early afternoon but it will stay quite dull with a few drizzly outbreaks on the hill tops. Mainly dry at low level during the afternoon and evening. Perhaps a few breaks in the cloud in the east during the afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30%, low cloud associated with morning rainfall increasing to 70% during the afternoon, more chance of cloud breaks in the east.

Visibility: Visibility will be quite poor at times during the morning in rainfall and low cloud. Cloud bases likely to be broken in the west from 400m but will improve to scattered above 500m to give some views under the low cloud during the afternoon, better visibility is likely around the eastern and southern hills of Snowdonia.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	23/27 SW	28/34 SW	35/44 SW	35/46 SW	37/50 SW	39/53 SW	41/56 SW	41/57 SW	43/60 SW
600	14/19 SW	17/23 SW	25/34 SW	25/35 SW	27/39 SW	29/42 SW	30/43 SW	31/46 SW	32/48 SW
300	8/17 SW	9/20 SW	16/29 SW	16/31 SW	18/34 SW	19/36 SW	19/37 SW	20/39 SW	21/41 SW
Valley	9/17 SW	9/20 SW	16/29 SW	17/31 SW	19/33 SW	20/37 SW	21/39 SW	21/39 SW	21/40 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	4/-1	5/-1	6/0	8/2	9/3	8/3	8/3	8/2	8/2
600	7/3	7/3	8/3	10/6	11/6	11/6	10/6	10/6	10/6
300	9/7	9/7	10/7	11/8	13/10	13/10	13/9	13/9	13/9
Valley	10/8	10/8	11/8	13/10	14/11	14/11	14/10	14/10	14/10
Freezing Level*	1400m	1500m	2400m	2400m	2300m	2400m	2200m	2200m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A windy day with widespread gales during the afternoon and feeling chilly at first on the hills.

Forecast for Wednesday 27 Oct 2021

Weather: A dull day with some outbreaks of rain throughout the day in the north around Snowdon, perhaps drier in the south around Bala, possibly some brighter spells here too.

Maximum wind: Severe gales gusts likely on the mountain tops. Southwesterly winds 35-40 mph with gusts 50-55mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60%, more low cloud is likely for the northern hills. In the south 80%.

Visibility: Moderate visibility with some views at times especially in the south.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above all summits.

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